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| Application Number | 10/511,146 |
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| Filing Date | October 14, 2004 |
| First Named Inventor | Masami KUJIRAI |
| Group Art Unit | 1796 |
| Examiner Name | Margaret G. Moore |
| Attorney Docket Number | 2004_1547A |
| Confirmation No. | 1988 |

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8,

| 1995, o | r to ar | ny de. | sign appli | ication. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to | be submitted to the USPTO) | on page 2. | | |
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| 1. | Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s). a. [X] Previously submitted. If a final Office Action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office Action | | | | | | | |
| | a. | [X] I. II. | | considered as a submission even if this box is Please consider the arguments in the Appea | not checked. | | Three Action | |
| | b. | [] I. II. III. IV. | | Amendment/Reply Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) | | | | |
| . 2. | Miscellaneous a. [] Suspension of action on the above-identified application is required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months (period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required). | | | | | | | |
| ÷ | b. | [X] | Other: I | Petition for Extension of Time (2 months) | | | | |
| 3. | Fee a. | Fees (The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.) a. [] The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. I. [] RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) | | | | | | |
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| | b. [] | | Check in the amount of \$ enclosed | | 01 FC:2 | 801 | 405.00 OP | |
| | c. | [X] I. II. III. | [X] [X] | nt is made by Credit Card for the following fee [] RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) [] Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.136 an Other: | | Enclosed) in the | amount of \$650.00: | |
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